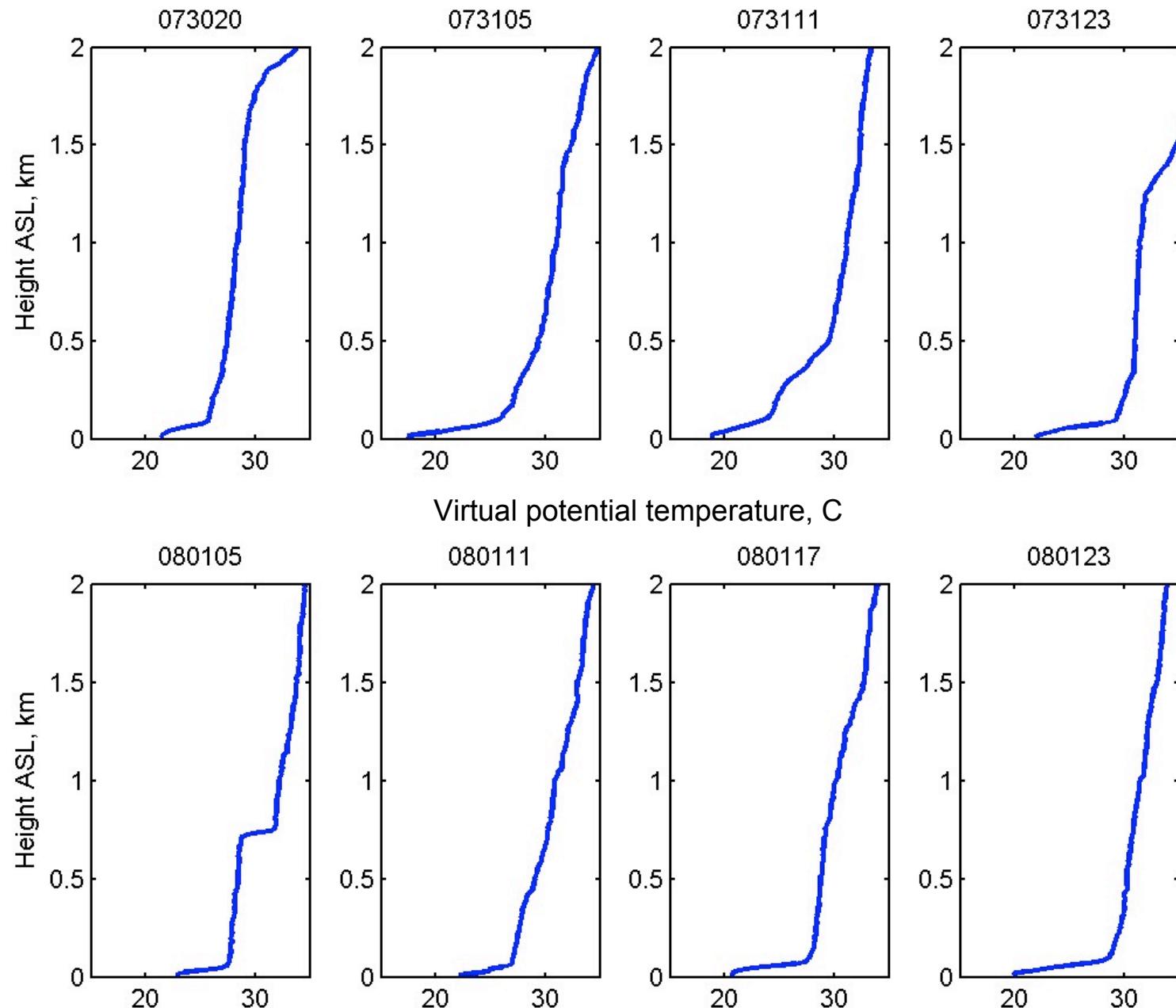


Boundary Layer Meteorology for Chebogue Point

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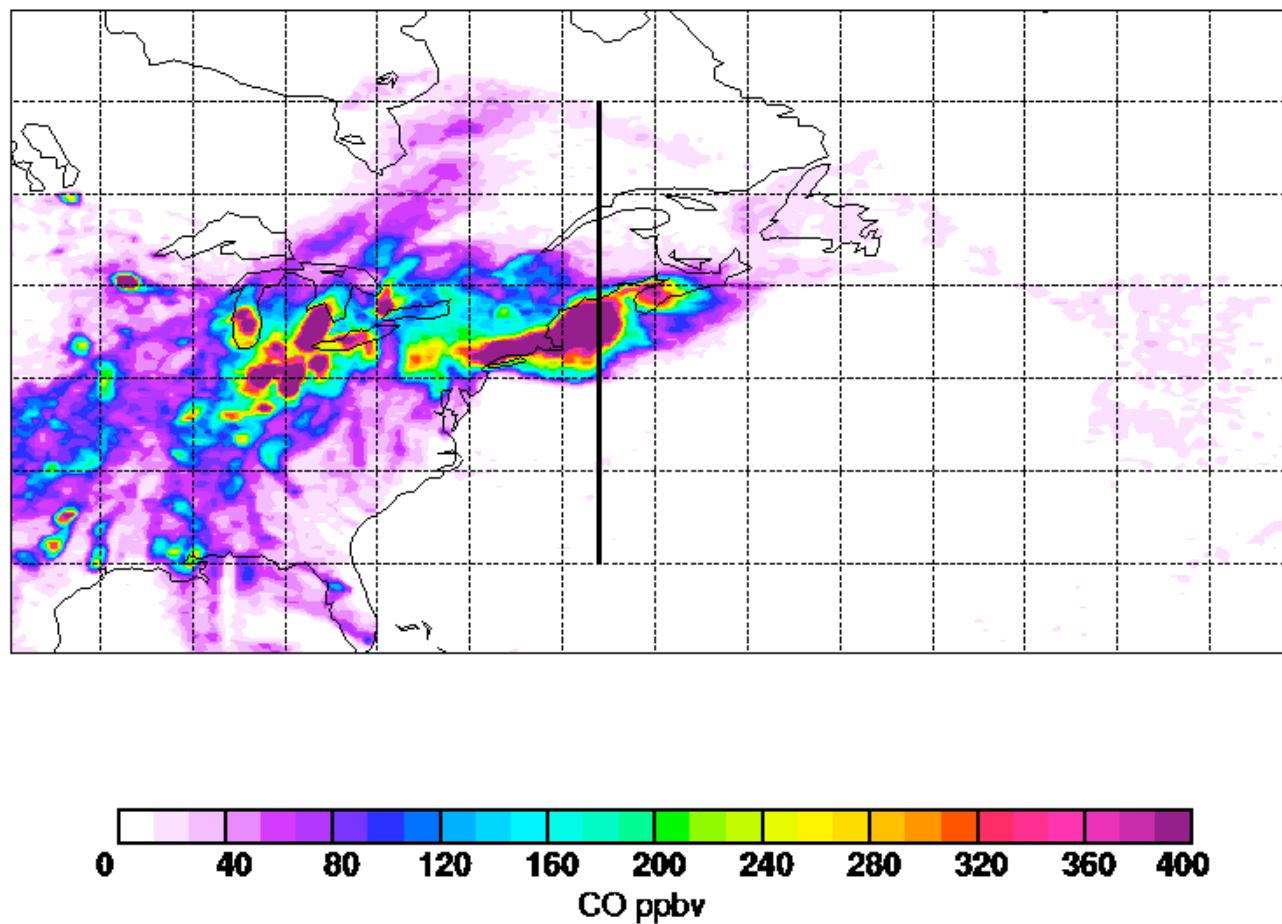
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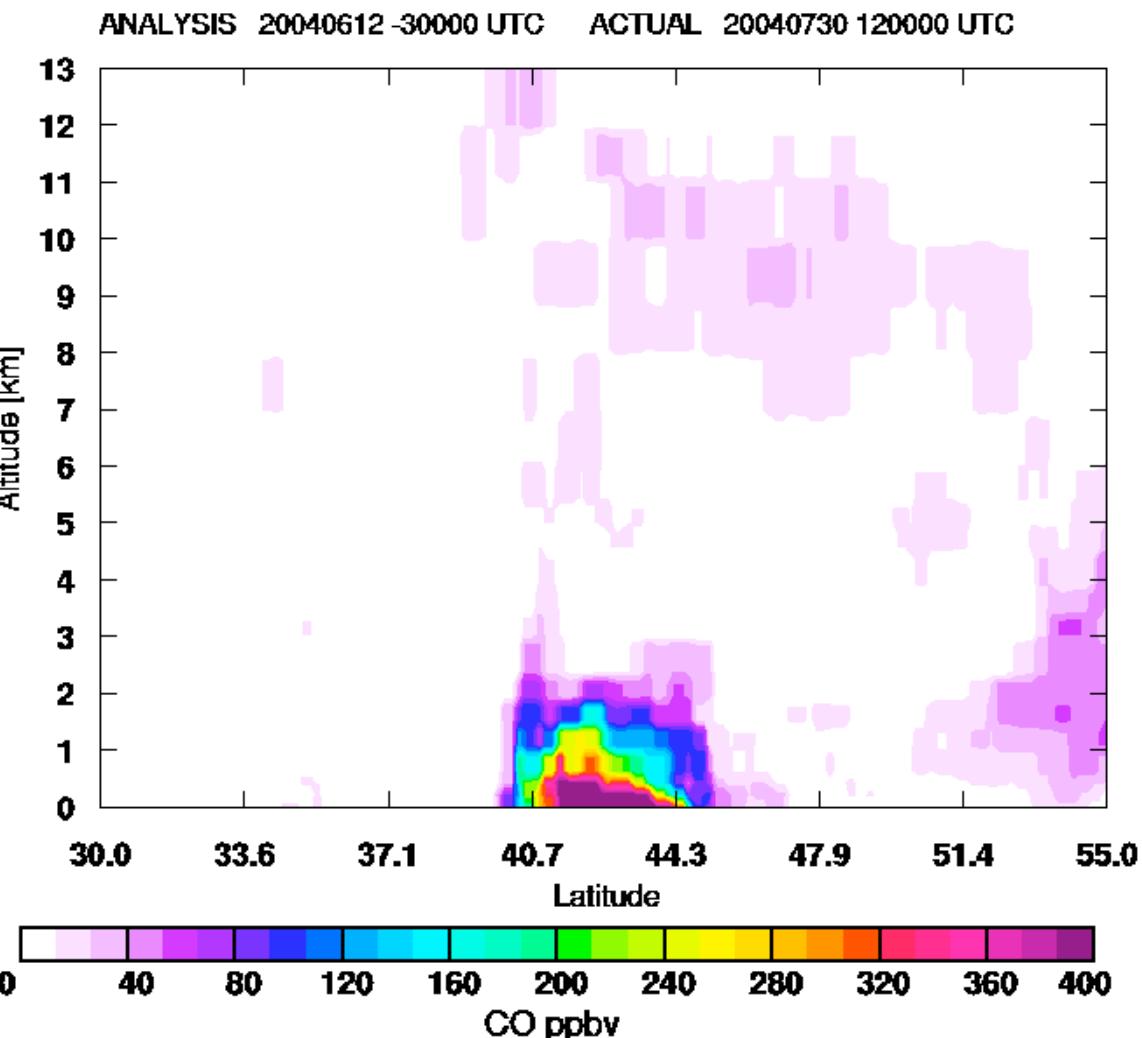
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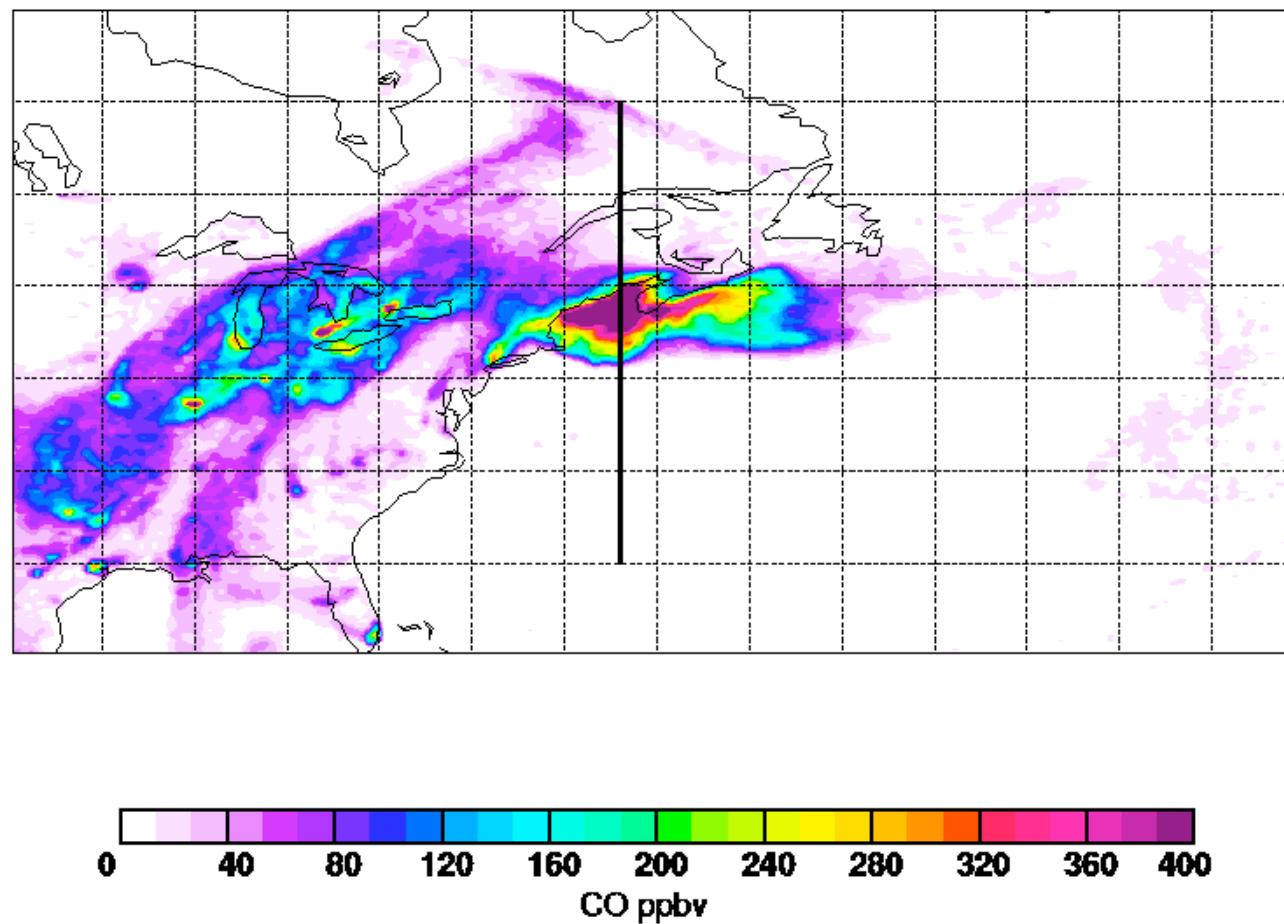
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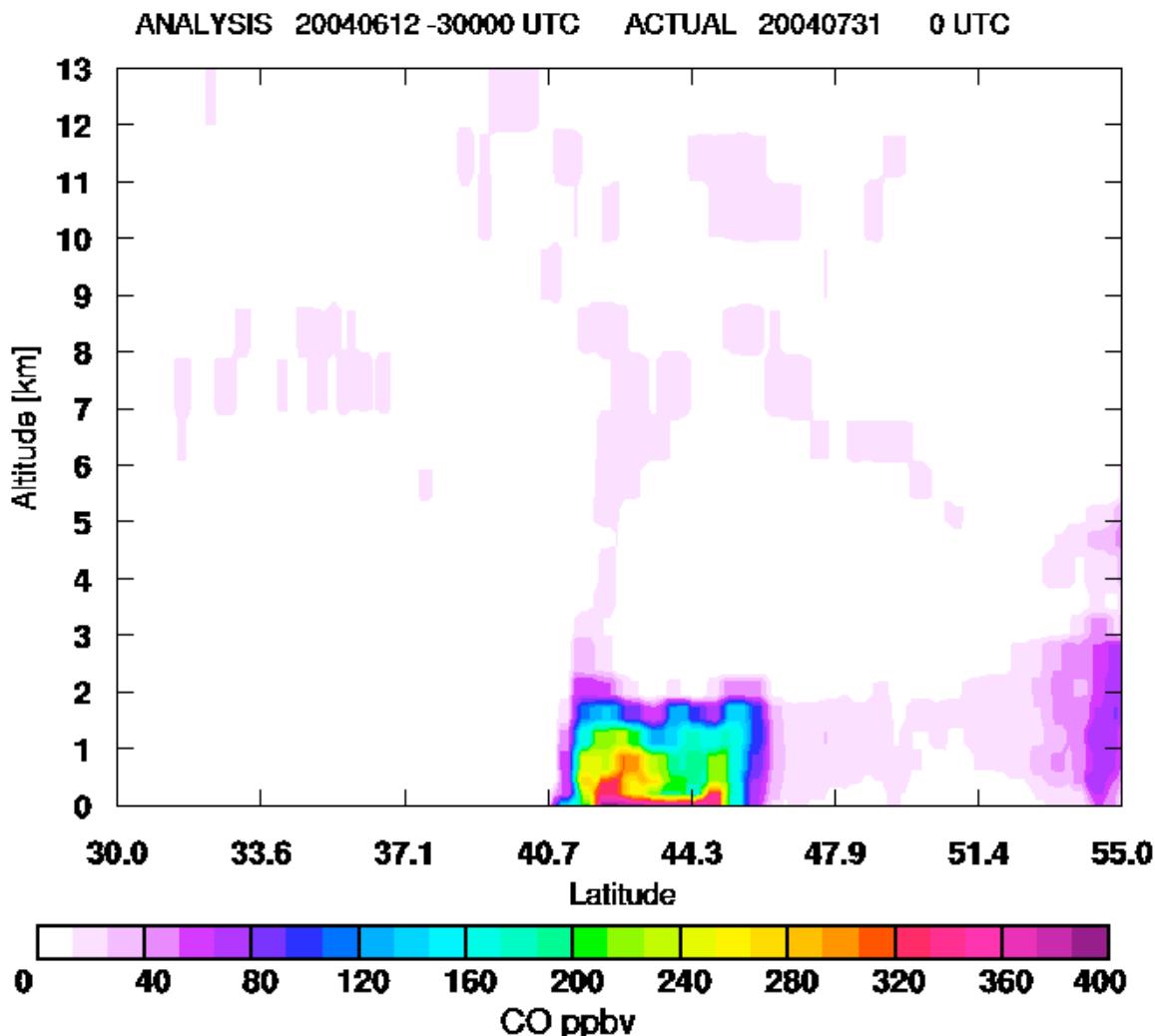
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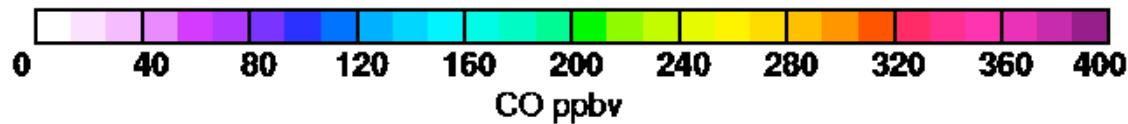
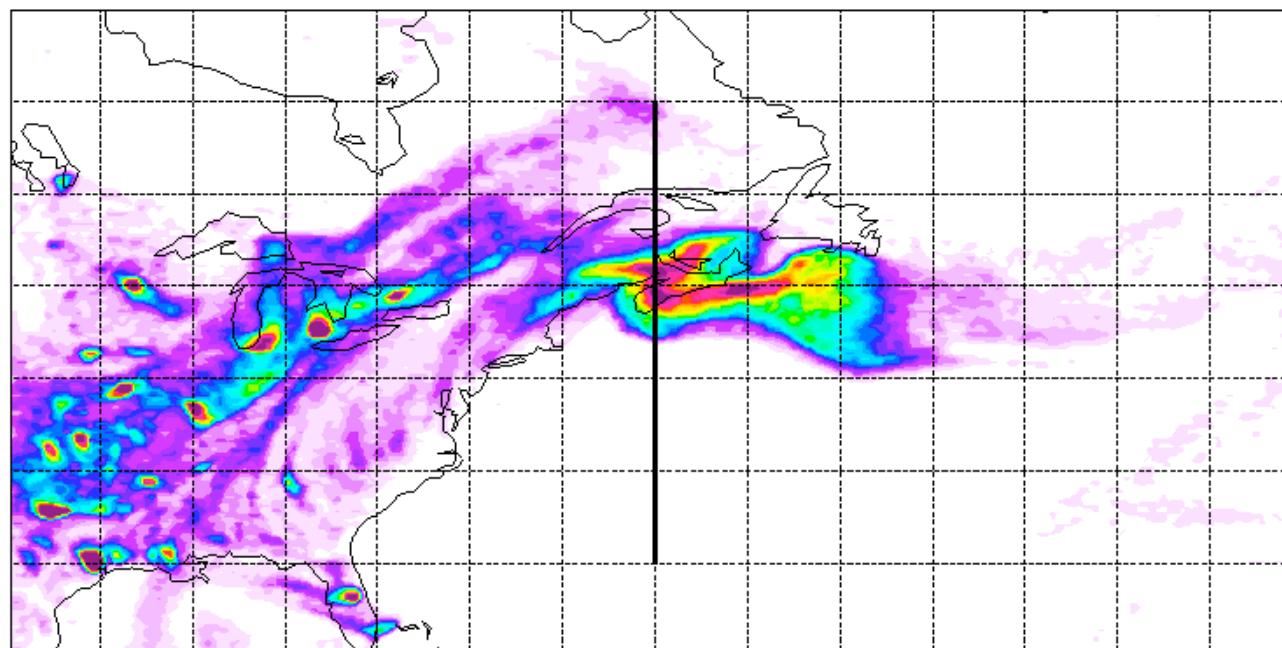
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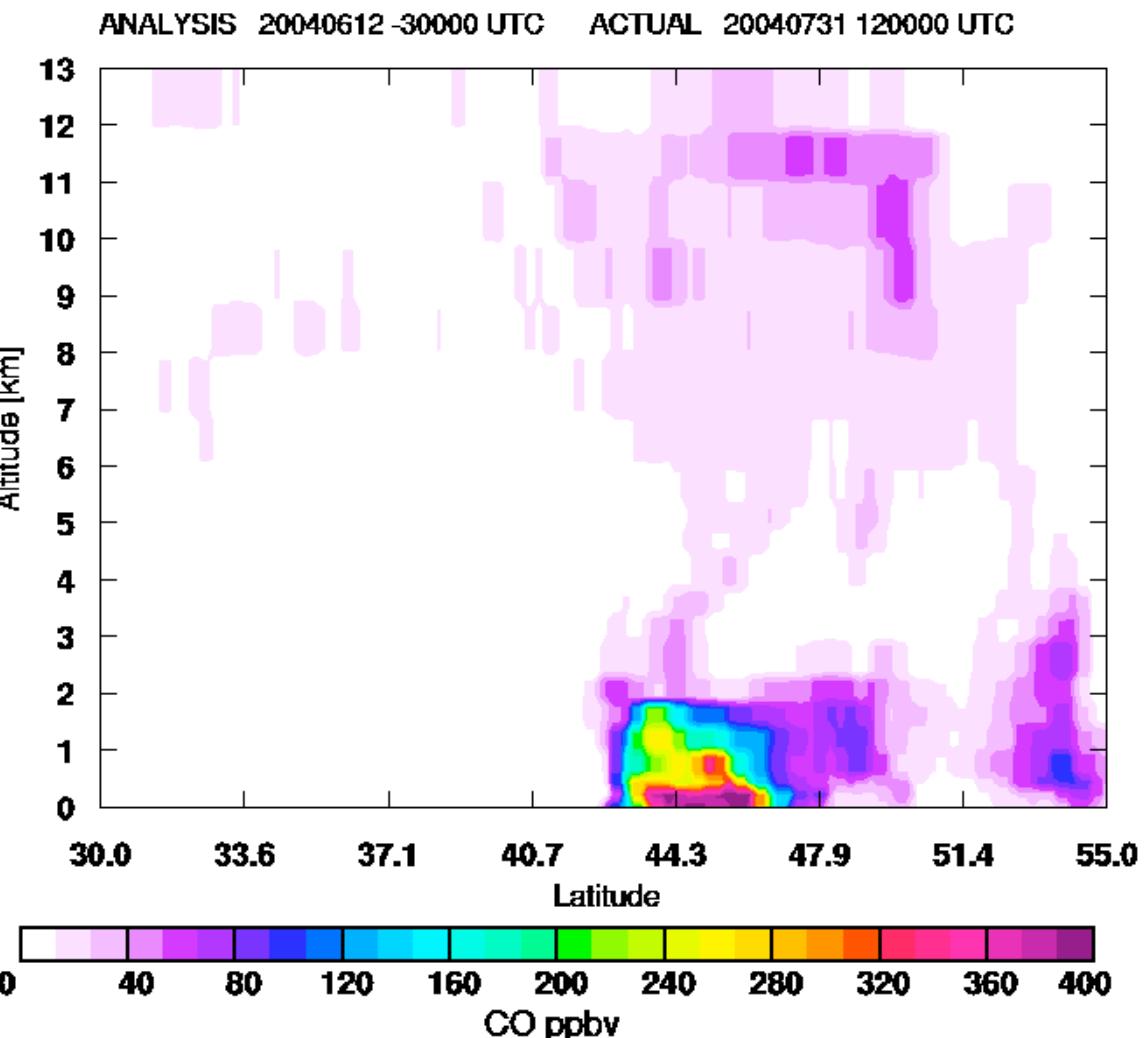
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Conclusions

- Boundary layer over water is (almost) always strongly stable
- This results in layering, wind shear, and low-level jets
- Surface measurements will represent only a layer <100 m thick
- Model results (including tracers and trajectories) may be incorrect for the surface

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